

PATENT APPLICATION

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Toshihiko AOKI

Application No.: 09/899,911

Filed: July 9, 2001

LIGHT SPOT POSITION SENSOR AND DISPLACEMENT MEASURING DEVICE

RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

For:

In reply to the June 27, 2003 Election of Species Requirement, Applicant provisionally elects species II (Figures 9-18) corresponding to claims 6-13 without traverse.

Respectfully submitted,

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